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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 8 and 11 as follows.

Claim 8, line 2, delete "or 7".

Claim 11, line 2, delete "or 10".

Please add new claims 12 and 13.

~~SUB 84 12. An electronic photographing device according to claim 7, wherein the photographing information is one selected from at least exposure information, AF information, and white balance information.~~

~~13. An electronic photographing device according to claim 10, wherein the identification information is a file name shared by frames constituting the panorama images or a panorama number representing a photographing order of the one set of panorama images.--~~